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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Sony Corporation, a corporation of Japan, certifies that it is the assignee of 100% of the right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the prior owner of the patent application identified

above. The assignment is being recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office concurrently herewith. A copy of the Assignment is enclosed.

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

The undersigned, acting on behalf of the assignee, hereby revokes all powers of attorney previously granted in the application and appoints:

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With full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

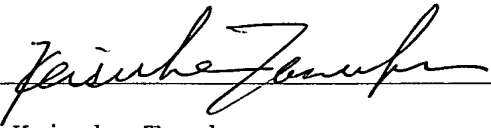
All correspondence regarding the application should be sent to William S. Frommer at Frommer Lawrence & Haug LLP, 745 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10151; telephone (212)588-0800; facsimile (212)588-0500.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

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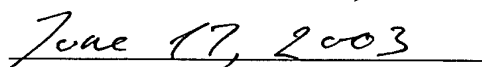
WHEREAS SNAPMAN APS (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Danish corporation having offices at Vejenbrodvej 30, DK-2980 Kokkedal, Denmark, is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the inventions disclosed in application Serial No. 09/213,434 filed December 17, 1998, entitled OPTICAL IMAGE RECORDING SYSTEM, AND ASSOCIATED PROCESSING SYSTEM, by virtue of an assignment thereof from the inventor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns and transfers to **SONY CORPORATION**, a corporation of Japan having offices at 6-7-35 Kitashinagawa, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo, Japan, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), its successors and assigns, its entire right, title and interest in and to said invention in Application Serial No. 09/213,434, and to any and all patents that will issue, reexaminations, reissues or extensions thereof, in the United States of America, to be held and enjoyed as fully as they would have been by Assignor had this assignment and transfer not been made;

By virtue of this Assignment, Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to transfer any and all rights to any Letters Patent of the United States for said inventions resulting from the aforementioned application, to **SONY CORPORATION** as Assignee.

In witness whereof, Assignor has caused this assignment to be executed on the day and year set forth below.

By:   
Herman Scherling Managing Director

Date:   
June 17, 2003